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NOTICE OF OBJECTIONS FILED: Santa Fe National Forest Land Management Plan Revision Reviewing Officer: Michiko Martin, Southwestern Region Regional Forester. Time Zone of Reviewing Officers: Mountain Time (Regional Forester) and Eastern Time (Deputy Chief) The Forest Service has received fifteen eligible objections regarding the Plan Revision for the Santa Fe National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan (Santa Fe Forest Plan) and the associated Regional Forester Species of Conservation Concern list. The publication date of this notice in the Albuquerque Journal, the newspaper of record, initiates a 10-day period during which individuals or organizations who have commented on the plan in the past and have a particular interest in the resolution of any objection may file a request to be an interested person, as described in 36 C.F.R. 219.57 and Forest Service Handbook (FSH) 1909.12, Section 51.65, and participate in meetings between the objectors and the Forest Service. The Santa Fe Forest Plan, Final Environmental Impact Statement, and draft Record of Decision were released by the Santa Fe Forest Supervisor, Debbie Cress on September 2, 2021. These documents are available for review on the Santa Fe Forest Plan website: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/scnfs/landmanagement/planning/?cid=stelprd3791442> To become an interested person: The objection regulations at 36 C.F.R. 219.57 and Forest Service policy outlined in the Land Management Planning Handbook (FSH 1909.12, Section 51.65) allow those individuals and entities who have previously submitted substantive formal comments and who request and are granted recognition as interested persons to participate in resolution meetings between the objectors and the Forest Service. The purpose of this opportunity is to ensure that efforts to resolve objections are conducted in an open and collaborative forum. Written requests for recognition as an interested person must be submitted no later than 10 days from the date of this notice in Albuquerque Journal, the newspaper of record, and must include the following information: name and affiliation, if any, of the requester; mailing address, phone number, and email address (if available) for the requester; the names of the objectors(s) whose objection(s) the requester has an interest in; a brief explanation of the requester's interest in the objection(s) and any specific concern(s), including a description of support or opposition to the objection(s); and identification of substantive formal comment provided by the requester during the planning process demonstrating the requester's participation in the planning process. Written requests should be mailed to: Michiko Martin, Reviewing Officer, USDA Forest Service, Attn: Santa Fe Objections, 333 Broadway Blvd SE, Albuquerque, NM 87102 An Interested Person form is available on the Forest Revision website. Electronic requests must be submitted via <https://cara.ecosystem-management.org/Public/CommentInput?Project=49605>. Emailed requests can be sent to: objections-southwestern-region-office@usda.gov with the subject line "Santa Fe National Forest Plan Interested Person Request". Faxed requests must be submitted to (505) 842-3173 and the subject line must include "Santa Fe Plan Revision Interested Person Request" Written requests submitted via USPS, FedEx, UPS, or other courier should be mailed to: Michiko Martin, Reviewing Officer, USDA Forest Service, Attn: Santa Fe Plan Revision Interested Persons Request, 333 Broadway BLVD SE, Albuquerque, NM 87102. Please reach out to Cody Hutchinson, Forest Plan Objection Coordinator, at cody.hutchinson@usda.gov or 406-540-3469 if you have questions. The requests will be considered by the Reviewing Officer(s), and eligible interested persons will be notified in advance of any objection resolution meetings. Resolution meetings will be held virtually. Objection resolution meetings are open to observation by the public, and the date(s), location(s), and agenda(s) for any meeting(s) will be posted online at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/scnfs/landmanagement/planning/?cid=stelprd3791442> Journal: November 11, 2021